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JAPS FEAR A MUTINY

Apprehensive That the Korean Troops Will Revolt.

CONVENTION IS CONCLUDED

New Agreement Between Japan and Korea Invests the Resident General With Control of Internal Administration of the Hermit Kingdom.

Tokio, July 25.—Advices from Seoul say that a new convention between Japan and Korea has been concluded. The text of the convention has not yet been made public, but it is reported to consist of seven articles. It probably will be published Saturday. Its main feature is that it invests the resident general with complete control of the internal administration of Korea and appoints Japanese officials of the Korean government.

It is reported that the easy compliance of the Korean government with Japan's demands was due to the fact that the terms were much easier than were apprehended.

The removal of the deposed emperor to Tokio was not included in the demands.

Advices from Seoul say that a mutiny of the Korean troops is apprehended.

Although Seoul apparently is calm, apprehension of further disturbances has not subsided. It is asserted that court spies are busily engaged in efforts to ascertain the attitude of Japan. A new press regulation prohibiting the publication of diplomatic and military secrets or anything injurious to the public peace is being enforced.

AGED BANKER COLLAPSES

Unable to Bear Up Under Prospect of Imprisonment.

Stillwater, Minn., July 25.—Unable to bear up under the prospect of eight years' imprisonment in the state penitentiary, Thomas B. Clement, former president of the First National bank of Faribault, convicted on eight counts for misuse of funds, collapsed at the very doors of the prison and was taken to the prison hospital in a state of nervous breakdown. His condition is regarded as critical.

Clement was in charge of United States Marshal W. H. Grimshaw and arrived in Stillwater Wednesday afternoon. Upon reaching the steps of the penitentiary the prisoner appeared weak and just as he entered the door he collapsed utterly.

He is seventy-six years old and when actually confronted with the walls which were to hold him in confinement for eight years he appeared unequal to the task of bearing up under the strain.

Friends of the convicted man, it is reported, are endeavoring to start a movement looking to the pardoning of Clement by President Roosevelt on account of his old age and splendid standing before the misappropriation of funds which caused his downfall.

CURIOUS STATE OF AFFAIRS

All Adult Males in a Hungarian Village Have Come to America.

Budapest, July 25.—The lure of the

United States as a land of opportunity and wealth to the people of Hungary has brought out a curious state of affairs in the little village of Kerisova, near Lugos, which at the last census had a population of 3,500 souls. One by one the male residents of Kerisova heard the call across the water and they emigrated in batches until such time as the mayor was the only adult male to remain in the village. Finally he also succumbed to the reports of good wages and golden chances in America sent back by his fellow townsmen and he also emigrated.

As a result of this exodus of males the women of Kerisova have just elected a young woman to the position of mayor, and other female residents have been elected to fill the remainder of the municipal offices. The status in Hungary provide that no female shall hold office and according to the letter of the law the presence of the women in office is illegal.

TWO KILLED AND FIVE HURT

Scaffolding on a Dock at Conneaut, O., Falls.

Conneaut, O., July 25.—Two men were killed and five others seriously injured by the falling of some scaffolding work at the Pittsburgh and Conneaut dock. The dead are A. Matson and B. Quick of Cleveland, structural ironworkers.

The scaffolding on which seven men were working broke, throwing Matson and Quick sixty feet to the ground.

Heiresses to Vast Estate.

Helena, Mont., July 25.—Three young women of this city, the Misses Bertha and Frederika Valker and Miss Kenton Pepner, have been apprised that after three years of litigation in German courts they have been declared the heiresses to the estate of their grandfather, valued at \$40,000,000.

Fight on a Battleship.

Messina, Sicily, July 25.—Fifteen men, including several officers, were wounded on board the Italian battleship Caradegna during a fight between sailors of the North and South following a quarrel over the Nazi case.

INDUSTRIAL HOME RAIDED

Score of Persons Arrested on Technical Charge of Vagrancy.

New York, July 25.—Detectives in Brooklyn raided the Industrial Home conducted by the "American Salvation Army," said to be an offshoot of the original Salvation Army, and arrested twenty-one persons on technical charges of vagrancy. The prisoners ranged in age from eighteen to seventy-three years and included Commander-in-Chief William Duffin of Philadelphia, who had come here to reorganize the Brooklyn branch; Major Charlie Ross of Providence, R. I., who was here to assist his chief, and Captain Charlie Ernest of Brooklyn. The twenty-one were locked up.

The raid was made at the instance of District Attorney Clarke, to whom charges had been made by Secretary William Nichols of the Brooklyn bureau of charities. It was charged that the home was operated in the interests of its managers rather than for charitable purposes. Investigation of these charges led to the issuance of a warrant for the arrest of Staff Captain Albert E. Hendicott, who assisted Captain Ernest in the management of the home. Duffin was searched and found to have \$680 in cash and bank books representing deposits of about \$20,000. This was his personal property, he said, and represented the savings of himself and his five children. He declared that his visit here was to right anything that was wrong in the local branch.

LANDED AT PORTLAND.

Survivors of Steamer Columbia Safe at Oregon Port.

Portland, Ore., July 25.—Bearing survivors of the wrecked steamer Columbia, the steamer George W. Elder made fast to her dock in this city. House before the big steamer touched her dock thousands of people had gathered to welcome the fortunate survivors of the catastrophe and relatives and friends were there to prove by sight and touch the safety of their loved ones.

When the big boat made fast a great cheer arose and by what seemed mutual consent the crowd divided, forming a line on either side of a narrow lane through which the survivors walked as they left the vessel. They were seized as fast as they were recognized and smothered with hugs and kisses.

Call for Election in Oklahoma.

Guthrie, Okla., July 25.—Governor Frantz has issued the proclamation calling an election in Oklahoma and Indian Territory on Tuesday, Sept. 17, at which time the qualified voters of the state of Oklahoma shall vote directly for or against the proposed constitution; for or against the separate provisions separately submitted; for any and all of the elective offices for a full state government and for representatives to congress.

MAY SOON BE ENDED

Strike of Minnesota Miners May Not Last Long.

JOHNSON IS INVESTIGATING

Chief Executive of the State Looking Into the Trouble on the Iron Range. Organizer at Ely Is Run Out of Town.

Duluth, July 25.—The indications now are that the strike on the Mesaba range may terminate at an early day, although no one can predict this with any degree of certainty.

At the request of Sheriff Bates, Governor Johnson came to Duluth to look over the situation. The governor was told that the authorities were able to cope with the situation as it stood at present, but the sheriff was not over sanguine in regard to the matter. Directly his excellency stepped from the train he was met by the sheriff and the two went into conference. Later they adjourned to the steel company's building, where the governor met the officials of the mines and railroads and some of the independent operators. The whole situation was thoroughly canvassed and a special train conveying his excellency and a party of newspaper correspondents will go to Hibbing.

The governor in an interview did not care to commit himself further than to say that from this end of the line there appears to be no indication of undue violence on the part of the strikers. Officials of the Duluth, Mesaba and Northern road have been informed by the striking dock handlers at Duluth that they desire a meeting in order to arrive at some amicable understanding. They insist on an advance of 25 cents a day, but are willing to recede from their former position as regards overtime. They will not insist upon more than time and a half for that kind of work and for work on Sundays and holidays.

Settlement May Be Effected.

It is believed by many in Duluth who have been keeping in touch with the situation that if the corporation recognizes the ore handlers, who say they have just organized and become a part of the International Longshoremen's association and do not wish to be associated with the Western Federation of Miners in any way, shape or manner, the ice may be broken for a settlement. The corporation officials are firm in their determination to not recognize nor deal with the federation people and it is believed that the miners, 10 per cent of whom it is claimed only are dissatisfied with the conditions that prevailed up to the time of the strike, are more than ready to return to work at the first favorable opportunity.

There has been no violence reported at any of the range towns, although at Chisholm, at an open air meeting, Teofilo Petrolia, manager of the strike for the federationists, gave utterance to some fiery language and others espoused the cause of the red flag and urged all strikers to arm themselves if it was necessary to accomplish their purpose.

The following telegram from Teofilo Petrolia was sent to Governor Johnson from Hibbing:

"Men being sworn in as officers to enforce the law are inciting people to violence to Bovey, Minn. The members of the Western Federation of Miners in that locality are denied the rights that are enjoyed by American citizens."

"Two officers of the union were arrested and taken to prison in Grand Rapids. I appeal to you to see that the members of this organization in the Coleraine district enjoy the protection of the laws of the state of Minnesota."

When the governor opened the message on his arrival here he made no comment, but inferred that when he arrives at Hibbing he will probably consider the motive that prompted its sending.

RUN OUT OF TOWN.

Federation Organizer at Ely Compelled to Leave.

Ely, Minn., July 25.—Alfred Lundstrom, local organizer for the Western Federation of Miners, was run out of town by a number of local business men.

Lundstrom had been making this city his headquarters for several days and had not been molested by the citizens, although they were not in sympathy with his work. He went into the butcher shop owned by William Gerjartin and attempted to form an organization among the clerks. The clerks informed the owner of the shop and he went after Lundstrom in a strenuous way. Lundstrom was knocked down several times by the angry butcher and when the organizer took to his heels up the street Mr. Gerjartin followed several blocks, striking Lundstrom as often as he was within reach.

Wash Goods Clearance

Those who come during this sale will secure some of our choicest wash fabrics at a decided reduction in price.

Silk Gingham—Splendid waist materials—55c kinds—during our clearance sale..... **39c**
Fine Tissues—An excellent dress or waist material. 50c kind—during our clearance sale..... **37½c**
Dress Goods—organdies, tissues and other fine fabrics which have sold at 30 and 35c—sale..... **25c**
Fine Fabrics—selling at 75 and 60c—beautiful 1/2 fine dresses—during our clearance sale at..... **49c**
White Goods—all 50c fancy white wash goods will be sold during the clearance sale at..... **39c**
White Goods—all 35 and 40c fancy wash goods will be sold during the clearance sale at..... **29c**
White Goods—all 25c fancy wash fabrics will be sold during the July clearance sale at..... **19c**

Clearance Muslin Wear

From a table of bargains of muslin underwear we give these prices to acquaint you with what we will show.

Corset Covers—elaborately trimmed with val lace—made to sell for 50c—clearance price..... **27½c**
Corset Covers—trimmed with fine val laces and insertions—made to sell for \$1.00—sale price..... **69c**
Drawers—a splendid lace trimmed quality—selling for 79c the pair—clearance price..... **59c**
Drawers—splendid quality of materials—trimmed with embroidery and insertions—\$1.25 kind..... **98c**
Gown—good cambric gown—lace and embroidery trimmed—a good \$1.25 kind at but..... **98c**
Gown—soft cambric gown—beautifully trimmed with fine embroidery—\$3.00 kind at but..... **\$2.39**
Skirt—a good cambric skirt—well made and trimmed with embroidery—\$2.00 skirt at but..... **\$1.59**

Dress Goods Clearance

We have some things in our dress goods stock that we believe you will be pleased to secure at a price.

Wool Cepe de chene—a good line of colorings and white and black—are \$1.25 qualities—price..... **87½c**
All pattern cloths—a number of fine dress patterns—light and dark colorings—sale price..... **¼ off**
Fancy dress goods—a good line of light and dark colored 36 and 38 inch dress goods—50c kind..... **47½c**
Challies—half wool challies—35c kinds—on sale during our July clearance sale at..... **25c**
Wool Challies—50c all wool challies—light and dark colorings—clearance sale price..... **39c**
Dress Goods—an assorted lot of dress goods—various widths and kinds selling for \$1.25 at..... **87½c**
Henriettes—a number of shades and black and white of German silk finished henriettes..... **89c**

A Clearance of Silks

A number of bargains in silks will be given in in our silk section. They are choice styles—likewise splendid bargains.

Waist Silks—figured habutai silks—neat designs—wash splendidly—60c kind—clearance price..... **49c**
Fancy Silks—waist and shirtwaist lengths \$1.10, \$1.15 and \$1.25 qualities—27 inch..... **97½c**
Checked Silks—black and white checks—several sizes—were excellent at 75c—clearing price..... **65c**
Waist Silks—plaids and fancies of various kinds—excellent \$1.00 kinds—clearing price..... **87½c**
Silk Poppins—an assorted line of colors—excellent for waists or for linings—50c qualities..... **47½c**
Black Taffeta—yard wide black taffeta—a regular \$1.25 quality and a good one—clearing price..... **98c**
Waist Silks—corded white wash silks—one of the best wash silks made—50c kind at but..... **39c**

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Lundstrom was afterward arrested on the complaint of several business men. When taken before the municipal court he promised to leave town if he was allowed to go. Permission was given him to do so and he was escorted by a jeering crowd of people to the afternoon train.

Anticipating any action of the Western Federation of Miners in this district, the citizens of this city held a mass meeting at which the city pledged armed protection to all miners who wanted to work. The meeting

was attended by about 3,000 people, representing all classes of citizens.

The resolutions as passed condemned the strike, spoke highly of the treatment that was accorded the men by the mining companies and guaranteed armed protection to all who wanted to work. Special officers will be sworn in in any number necessary to carry out the promise of the city. Nearly every man in the city has pledged himself to serve as a deputy should the occasion arise.

AGITATORS ARE BARRED.

Will Not Be Tolerated at Bovey and Vicinity.

Bovey, Minn., July 25.—The district around Bovey, Coleraine and Taconte will be peaceful if the precautions taken by the citizens of these places are to be taken as an indication. About 500 deputy sheriffs have been sworn in and divided among the different towns and at the mines.

The authorities of this town have given instructions to turn back all agitators attempting to enter. They are not to be allowed to even make a speech. As soon as one of the special officers learns that there is a labor agitator in the district it is made the officers' duty to take that man out of the county as fast as he can travel. No great amount of criticism will be passed if the striker travels in a way unpleasant to him. The idea is to impress the trouble makers that this district is very unhealthy for this class of people.

There has been but little actual trouble here. The mines are all running and the workers appear satisfied. No meetings of the men have been held and there have been no attempts to bring about a strike here except in a few isolated instances. These attempts met with prompt action on the part of the officers of the city and everything is as quiet as usual.

MOST DEADLY IN THE WORLD

Railroads of the United States Hold the Record.

Berlin, July 25.—Herr Gullery, an official of the archive bureau of the Prussian railway administration, has prepared a comparative table of statistics of those killed and injured by railways in various countries. He finds that both absolutely and relatively the railroads in the United States are the most deadly. The United States has more mileage than all Europe but even taking that into consideration the United States hold pre-eminence in proportional figures.

Out of every 1,000 railway employees the ratio of the number injured each year is as follows:

United States, 43.5; Switzerland, 25.3; England, 11.8; Belgium, 11; Germany, 2.4.

Out of every 10,000 employees the relative figures of killed are United States, 26.1; England, 12.3; Switzerland, 8.2; Russia, 7.8; British India, 6.7; Belgium, 4.1.

Herr Gullery finds that in a single year, the fiscal year of 1902—376,000 persons were injured in the United States, of whom 60,000 were employees and 9,800 were killed, of whom 3,699 were employees.

In the matter of travelers injured, France holds the lowest record in the world. The United States shows proportionately forty times as many injured as Russia, twenty-two times as many as Italy, as England twenty, Belgium eight, Switzerland four, Germany twice.

AS HIS SECOND VICTIM DIES

New York Man Awakes to Realization of His Tragic Acts.

New York, July 25.—Almost at the moment that his second victim breathed his last, Frank H. Warner awoke to consciousness and a realization of his tragic acts of Tuesday.

Down on his luck and perhaps temporarily insane, Warner, formerly a prosperous hatter, shot and killed Esther C. Norling, who once had been his bookkeeper, and after a wild flight from the police fired a bullet into the back of his intimate friend, John C. Wilson, a wealthy hatter.

Wilson died at St. Vincent hospital and as the news of his death reached Bellevue hospital where Warner is a prisoner, the latter regained his senses. Warner was knocked down and badly injured by the crowd that

captured him and he had since been in a comatose state.

He replied to brief inquiries, but the physicians in charge did not wish to have him questioned at length. Concussion of the brain, severe shock and a slight internal hemorrhage are the ailments with which the physicians have to contend.

TENDERS HIS RESIGNATION

Attorney General Morris of New Foundland Quits.

St. Johns, N. F., July 25.—Attorney General Morris has tendered the resignation of his portfolio owing to a difference with Premier Bond over a question involving the rate of pay for laborers on public works. On account of the situation, which is regarded as amounting to a cabinet crisis, Sir William MacGregor, governor of New Foundland, who had been on the west coast and was about to start on a fishing trip with Earl Grey, governor general of Canada, has been hurriedly recalled.

Carmen's Strike Settled.

Rock Island, Ill., July 26.—A strike of 1,400 carmen employed in the various shops of the Rock Island system has been settled and the men have returned to work. An agreement was reached whereby all grievances will be arbitrated.

Arrested for Ancient Crime.

Erie, Pa., July 19.—Alonzo Guiseppe, a young Italian, has been placed under arrest here charged with being responsible for the death of Frank St. George nine years ago. Guiseppe is alleged to have scalded his victim to death with boiling water.

LUKEN'S BIG STORE

This week's specials just to remind you that Luken's store is the place that sets the pace. Compare our values with the other fellow's and you are sure to be on our list of satisfied customers

Cups and saucers 6 for..... 35c
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Weather Forecast

Fair west, showers east portion this afternoon or tonight; cooler west portion tonight; Friday fair.

THURSDAY, JULY 25, 1907

LOCAL NEWS NOTES.

Bicycles repaired at Hoffman's. 1tf
Rent a 22 Rifle at King's. 23tf
See "Michael's" east window.

Mrs. E. A. Olson, of Aitkin, was a Brainerd caller yesterday.

Mrs. H. H. Hitch returned Tuesday night from Liscumb, Iowa.

James W. Gamble, of Wheatland, Iowa, was in the city last night.

Card tables and folding chairs for rent at D. M. Clark & Co. 185tf

Judge Elliott, of the Minnesota supreme court, is in the city today.

Miss Wagner, one of the clerk's at L. J. Cale's went to McIntyre today.

Mrs. Gallaway and family went to Hubert yesterday to spend some time.

Dr. L. H. Bruns, of Anoka, is in the city today on his regular monthly trip.

Order your awnings from D. M. Clark & Co. 235tf

C. H. Brown, of Humboldt, Iowa, was in the city today, visiting C. B. Rowley.

D. M. Clark & Co., largest installment house in the city. Goods sold on easy terms. 233tf

Miss Esther Theorin returned to Deerwood yesterday after a visit in this city.

S. Hunter and F. Leighberg, of Mountain Iron, are in the city today on business.

Lawn mowers repaired at Hoffman's. 1tf

Mrs. Geo. H. Brown, 624 Bluff Ave. North, returned today from a visit to Longville.

Mrs. W. F. Edelbrock, of Aitkin, was in the city today on her way to St. Cloud.

H. S. Funston, assistant to chief Engineer Huss, was down from Big Falls today on business.

Miss Jessie Gildart left last night for Seattle, Wash., in company with her aunt, Mrs. Deohaine.

Miss Lillian Hage, of Deerwood, returned yesterday from a two weeks visit at Minneapolis.

Wood for sale. \$3.00 per cord—at the mill—good sawed wood—full cords. Wood & Polk. 27tf

Ole Lundmark returned yesterday to Walker, where he is working, after a visit with his family.

John Zelch, a member of the last legislature from Washington county, was in the city today.

Mr. Dykeman, Sr., of Dykeman, who has been under the weather for some time was in the city today.

See those weedless Bass Hooks at King's. Sure things. 23tf

D. W. Whitford and his granddaughter, Miss Rachel Whitford, went to Northome today for an outing.

W. B. Sherman, of Big Falls, was in the city today on his way to Duluth for more laborers on the extension.

Ask the Laurel laundry for flat work prices. 39tf

Mr. and Mrs. John Hendeka, of Southeast Brainerd, are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby girl at their home.

If you haven't taken note of "Michael's" sensational coat sale you are missing much. See the east window.

The annual picnic of Alpha Chapter, O. E. S., has been postponed to August 2 because of the funeral of J. M. Hallett.

King sells the tackle that gets the big ones. 23tf

John Hughes, of Minneapolis, arrived yesterday afternoon to visit at the home of the another John Hughes, of East Brainerd.

The ladies of the First M. E. church will give an ice cream social at the M. E. parsonage next Monday evening commencing at 6 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Beadle, of Traverse City, Michigan, returned to their home this afternoon, after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. M. Johnston.

Mrs. E. Libby and son, of Winona, left for their home this afternoon after a visit to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Herbert Wood, of Long Lake.

Miss Thaxter of Minneapolis a teacher in the public schools there came up Wednesday and will spend a part of her vacation doing religious work at Mission.

Call and see the new electric flatirons at D. M. Clark & Co.'s. 40tf

Dean White and Miss Lottie White went to Smiley yesterday for a few days visit. Miss Helen Murray, who came down yesterday returned with them.

Misses Effie and Marion Wood left for their home in Napoleon, N. D., today after a visit at the home of their brother Herbert Wood, of East Long Lake.

Fifteen cans of bass fry for Lake Hubert came up Wednesday in charge of a son of S. F. Fullerton. They were taken to Hubert by local parties and planted.

C. N. Parker, accompanied by his four grandchildren, Ethel, Clyde, Irma and Ruth left on the noon train today for a trip down the great lakes to Buffalo, and they expect to be absent about twenty days.

The fire department was called to the Imperial block on a false alarm at 6 o'clock last night, a fire in the furnace filled the building with smoke and alarmed the inmates.

A still alarm called the fire team to the Laurel street bridge this noon. A couple of pails of water put out a small blaze in the floor caused by a cigar dropped by a passer by.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Steiger and Mr. Steiger's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Steiger, of Minneapolis, went to Crooked lake, north of Deerwood, Wednesday for a week's outing.

Translating done. Italian, Belgian, French and English. 25 cents per page. Inquire for Alex Joyal at D. M. Clark & Co.'s. 37t26

The First National bank is having another vault put in its building. It will be in what was formerly the Adair store and will have doors opening on both basement and first floor.

All Master Masons, both members of Aurora lodge and visiting brethren are requested to meet at the Masonic hall Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock to attend the funeral of Bro. J. M. Hallett.

The R. N. A. will give an ice cream social at the home of Mrs. Marie-Erickson, 1603 E. Norwood street, Tuesday evening, July 30. Ice cream and cake 15c. 44t4

Mrs. John Carlson and a party of friends went to the Carlson cottage Wednesday afternoon for an outing. Among the party were Mrs. J. P. Anderson and daughter and Miss Mabel Smith.

Store your stoves and household goods with D. M. Clark & Co.

The base ball game between the Black Hawks and the Bohemians promises to be the warmest in the season. It will be played on the McKay grounds this evening, commencing at 6:45 sharp.

R. W. Clark, of St. Paul, who will succeed W. H. Gemmell as private secretary to President Elliott of the Northern Pacific, was down today from Parkville, where he is enjoying an outing. He will assume the duties of his new position August first.

You can rent a buggy, wagon or saddle at J. M. Hayes' livery 910 Front street East. 36tf

Neither team in the church league showed up last night and the Podunks and Squedunks played. The features of the game were the fast work of Will Koop, Frank Hall, Charley Mahlum and Walter Wieland—to get away from the ball. The score was 9 to 4 in favor of the other team.

Twenty-two head of young western horses and mares must be sold at once. Some broken, some unbroken. Weight 1000 to 1600. A. Marks. 30tf

It is reported by gentlemen coming from Big Falls that there will be an excursion from that place to Littleforks Sunday. There will be ballgame at the latter place and a good time generally. A regular mixed train service will be commenced between the two places on Sunday it is said.

Wm. Poorman has completed a fine cement block barn and cow house on his farm east of town. It is the first farm building of that construction in the county, though they are becoming very popular in other parts of the country. The blocks were made on the premises and the barn constructed by J. F. Vaughn.

A man's sociable in Swedish called Gubb fest will be held at the Swedish Methodist church tomorrow evening, Friday, July 26th at 8 o'clock. Rev. Davis will give a short lecture and also sing a solo. Others will take part in the program with solos and duets. Ice cream and cake will be served by the men and a good time is assured those who attend. Tickets will be 15c.

Two more carloads of western horses and mares, mostly the latter, just received. Will be sold at the lowest prices ever heard of. All young, weight 1,000 to 1,600. A. Mark. 40tf

You can eat hot biscuit at midnight if they are made by a good cook who uses Hunt's Perfect Baking Powder.

If the party who was seen picking up a ladies' leather hand bag containing two pocket-books, each containing money, will return the same to Brockway & Parker's store or to 510 5th street South they will save trouble for themselves, for they are well known by several who witnessed the act.

MUSIC AND DRAMA

Frank Mahara's minstrels made good at the opera house last night. The hoop rolling by J. H. Harris was a decided novelty and took well with the crowd. The music was fully up to the standard of minstrelsy and most of the jokes were new.

DEFEAT FOR KING LEOPOLD

Belgian Ruler Will Lose Control of the Congo Free State.

Brussels, July 25.—The close of King Leopold's long struggle to stave off the annexation of the Congo to Belgium and to retain his personal sovereignty over this rich and extensive African state is foreshadowed in the agreement reached on July 12 between the Belgian and the Congo government, elaborating the terms upon which the Congo Free State shall pass into the possession of Belgium.

This transfer will mark an important epoch for the Congo, as heretofore the entire conduct of affairs, civil and military, has been under the personal direction of King Leopold and cabinet of Congo officers entirely separate from and independent of Belgium, whereas the new regime will make the Belgian government instead of the king individually responsible for the conduct of Congo affairs.

The British and American governments have favored placing this governmental responsibility on Belgium, as the British officials have made the point that there was great difficulty in dealing with the Congo in view of its anomalous position as a personal dependency of the king, whereas foreign governments could deal with it through the usual diplomatic channels if the Belgium government assumed responsibility for its administration.

The proposed transfer comes at a time when Major Lemair's charges of Congo atrocities are again directing attention to the past administration. Charges of this nature have heretofore aroused much resentment in Europe and the United States and the Congo administration has sought to meet them in part by the investigations of a commission, the report of which disclosed many serious abuses. Major Lemair now renews the attack with a vehemence and with authoritative status which gives added effect to his charges.

Double Tragedy in Ohio.

Sandusky, O., July 19.—William Roberts, aged forty-five, engineer at the water station at Milan, was found dead with a bullet hole in his head. Two hours later George Bittner, his bitter enemy, shot and killed himself at his home east of town.

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NOTICE!

39th ANNUAL

CLEARING SALE

at CALE'S DEPARTMENT STORE

39 years ago we started out in business and we will now put on our Annual Clearance Sale at 50 and 33 per cent on the dollar.

The following are a few of the many bargains you will find. Space will not permit to name all in detail.

Arnold Taffeta
Paris Batiste
Dotted Swiss
Cluny Lace Stripes
Silk Warp
Eolienne
Toyma Silk
Drape de Lincle
Roxne Batiste
Organdies
Ribbons and
Summer Silks

Come early and often. It is no trouble to show goods. Sale commences on July 19th and will continue until August 3.

PLUMBING

STEAM AND HOT WATER HEATING

Boilers Repaired, Fire Boxes Repaired and Bricked, Grates Reset.

All kinds of Shaker and Dump Grates furnished on short notice for parties intending to burn coal next winter. Water Works put in an Sewer Connections made.

SHERLUND'S

Phone 67 611 Laurel Street

WHITE BROS. HARDWARE

T. L. BLOOD'S NORTHWESTERN PAINT

The paint question is all explained in this sign. We have not changed brands for 23 years. Is not that proof enough of the quality of the paint. We also carry

Gypsin Wall Finish, Liquid Granite Floor Finish Var Lac for Furniture.

Every thing You Need in House Cleaning

616 Laurel St., Brainerd, Minn.

Are You one of Those

Who think that Fly Paper is an absolute

Necessity in the Home.

If you are, don't you also know that FLY PAPER does not keep away all the flies. Well you are just the one we have provided a remedy for. We assure you that with Wheller's Adjustable Screens on your house, fly paper is useless. We want you to let us show you their points of superiority over common screens.

D. M. CLARK & CO.

General Outfitters and Undertakers

Not a drop of Alcohol

Doctors prescribe very little, if any, alcohol these days. They prefer strong tonics and alteratives. This is all in keeping with modern medical science. It explains why Ayer's Sarsaparilla is now made entirely free from alcohol. Ask your doctor. We have no secret! We publish J. C. Ayer Co., the formulas of all our preparations. Lowell, Mass.



DR. L. H. BRUNS

OPTOMETRIST

will be in BRAINERD, at the RANSFORD HOTEL,

July 25 and 26

Spectacles and Eye Glasses Fitted Correctly. Headache and other Nervous Disorders Cured With Glasses.

Eyes Examined Free



Pillsbury's Best Flour

The best flour that's made. Once used always used.

One Baking a week is enough with Pillsbury's Best

It will keep longer than bread made of other brands of flour

TRY A SACK

and you will be more than pleased with it.

All who hold tickets on the "Health Merry-Go-Round," are invited to be at the store Saturday Evening, July 27, '07. There will be something doing, so don't forget the date.

D. A. PETERSON,

Phone Call 82

214 7th St. So.

RANSFORD BARBER SHOP

Three Licensed Barbers

Prompt Service. Try us.

PARKER'S SHOWS
PLEASE PEOPLE
Concordia, Kansas, Paper Speaks
in High Terms of Entertain-
ment They Furnish
ARE LADIES AND GENTLEMEN
Like Kentucky Whiskey Some are
Better Than Others But all
are Good is the Verdict

What the Concordia, Kan., Blade thinks of the C. W. Parker shows: "This is the closing day of the carnival and when midnight rolls around the work of striking the tents, taking down and packing up the big fronts, the stages, the Ferris wheel and Carry-us-all and loading the whole paraphernalia on the cars will begin. The shows go from here to Hastings, Neb., and the Blade is honest in its statement that Hastings will find it a clean, enjoyable carnival company and those connected with it strictly on the level. In Messrs. Cramer & Tyler will be found gentlemen who are of the right kind with whom to do business, and in Doc Merkel, the press agent and manager of the Alps, the newspaper people will find a gentleman ever ready to accommodate them in any reasonable demand. "Tent show" people are not always gentlemen and ladies, but it is a characteristic of all shows bearing the Parker name, that none but polite, respectable, well-mannered people can hold jobs in any department. This much for the people—they wear the seal of public approval. And for the shows, now that the close is at hand, we have nothing which has been said in their favor during the past week to retract or qualify. They are good without exception. Some like the Kentucky gentleman's whiskey, are better than others, but they are all good. This company will exhibit in Brainerd week of Aug. 5 during the Red Men's carnival.

Cedar Shingles For Sale
Three grades of cedar shingles at whole or retail. If you are going to build call and inspect our stock.
36tfwtf GEO. A. MCKINLEY.

Gambling In Mexico
The first day we rode on the street cars in Mexico City our attention was attracted to the careful disposition of the slips resembling the American transfer, which the conductor gave each passenger, says Ruby Dannenbaum in an article on Mexico in THE HOUSEKEEPER for August. We soon learned that every street car slip in Mexico is numbered, and entitles the holder to a chance at the monthly premium in the lottery—in fact, every street car ticket is a lottery ticket. The Mexicans are born gamblers. No matter how poor they may be, feast days and fast days are spent gambling, and hundreds of persons make their living selling lottery tickets on the public thoroughfares of Mexico City.

How's This
We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm. W. L. DING, KINNAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price, 75c per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Notice
I have impounded one bay pony mare, weight about 800, and one yearling horse colt, dark bay. Owners must call and redeem stock and pay charges or they will be sold at city pound Friday, July 26 at 2 p. m.
JOS. SELLECK,
Poundmaster.
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Up-to-Date Hardware Store News

HAMMOCKS! HAMMOCKS!

See our line of LaCrosse Hammocks. Very large and square shape. They wear the best of all.
Prices \$1.75 to \$5.00

YOUR CREDIT IS GOOD AT OUR STORE
Slipp-Gruenhagen Co
217-219 South 7th Street.

REAL ESTATE IS MOVING
Smith Bros. Report the Sale of Two Pieces of City Property at Good Figures This Week
Real estate is becoming more active in Brainerd. Smith Bros. report the sale of two pieces yesterday.
The Charles Leak place, on Fourth avenue Northeast was purchased by Mrs. M. Witte, for a consideration of \$600. Lot four in block 202, No. 712 North Ninth street, owned by C. E. Coulson, has been sold to Adam Bittig, a gentleman who recently came here from Wisconsin. The consideration was \$650.

Notice
All those indebted to me are requested to call at my store in the Mahlum block and settle their accounts at once.
Respectfully,
38tf JOHN CARLSON.
A LIVELY RUNAWAY
Team Belonging to Mr. Beckly In indulges in Lively Spin up Sixth Street This Morning
A team belonging to Mr. Beckly, residing at 209 Bluff avenue west, indulged in a lively but fortunate run-away this forenoon. They started down on South Sixth street, near where the stone crusher is at work, the driver standing but a few feet from the rig when they started. They kept in the middle of the road until they reached the corner of Main and Sixth when they attempted to turn west to go home and could not make the turn, one of them falling on the cement walk on the north side of Main street. They were brought up against an electric light guy pole, the only apparent damage being the breaking of the neck yoke strap.

ECLIPSE OF THE MOON
Nearly the Entire Face of That Luminary was Concealed From View for a Time Last Evening
There was an almost total eclipse of the moon last night plainly visible in this city. The moon entered the shadow, according to the astronomers, at 9:04 p. m. and left the shadow at 11:41 p. m. It was first noticed by people returning from attending Mahara's minstrels and was closely watched by a large number of people until the moon left the shadow.

A Happy Man
is Amos F. King, of Port Byron, N. Y. (85 years of age); since a sore on his leg, which had troubled him the greater part of his life, has been entirely healed by Bucklen's Arnica salve; the world's great healer of sores, burns, cuts, wounds and piles. Guaranteed by H. P. Dunn & Co., Druggist. Price 25c. ttdsw

Advertised Letters
The following advertised letters at the postoffice, July 26, 1907. When called for say "advertised."
Carlson Fred McCauley Robert Clarke Mrs. W. Noble Annie Hanson Miss Minnie Peterson Axel Herden Barney Putnam L. C. Henderson Geo. Stensaker Mrs. Andrae N. Hoffman G. C. Symington Miss Nellie Joy W. M. Weston Mrs. S. E. Johnson Hans Wight Miss Peache Mishow W. N. H. INGERSOLL, P. M.

A. F. GROVES, M. D.
Walverman Block, 616 Front St
Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat....
OFFICE HOURS—10 a. m. to 12:30 p. m.; 2 to 4:30 and 7 to 8 p. m.
PHONE NUMBERS:
Office.....208
Residence.....212
Residence 311 North Broadway.

FUNERAL WILL BE LARGE ONE
Indications are That Obsequies of the Late J. M. Hallett Will be Well Attended
DEATH IS DEEPLY MOURNED
Masons and Elks Will Attend the Funeral in a Body--Blue Lodge Will be in Charge
The funeral of J. M. Hallett, which will take place at the Congregational church tomorrow afternoon, will be one of the largest for a long time. Mr. Hallett was well and favorably known and the family has a host of friends who will want to pay their last tributes of respect to his memory. The funeral services will be in charge of Aurora Lodge No. 100, A. F. & A. M. and Ascalon commandry and the B. P. O. E. will attend in full force. The services at the church will begin at 3 o'clock.

In the obituary of J. M. Hallett published yesterday there was no mention, through oversight, of his membership in the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers. He belonged to Lodge No. 474, of St. Paul.

DEERWOOD NOTES
Miss Reid, from Toronto, Canada, is here visiting her brother, Dr. William Reid and family.
Mrs. Rainerd Olson returned Saturday from Bemidji, where she has been visiting relatives and friends for a week.
Mrs. J. W. Schenck and daughter Dorris, went to Minneapolis on Tuesday to visit relatives.
Rev. George Parish, of Superior, Wis., was visiting with his uncle, Rev. Justis Parish for a few days.

Miss Mamie Erickson from Brainerd is visiting with Mrs. Julius Brandt.
Gust Johnson and family, of Duluth, came up on Saturday for a two week's camping trip. They are comfortably situated near the Patterson boat house but, oh,—the mosquitoes.
Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Kolseud returned to Waterville, Iowa, on Wednesday. Mr. Kolseud came up to take the outdoor cure for consumption and feels much encouraged with Deerwood as a health resort. Mrs. Kolseud is a niece of Mrs. Harry Patterson.

The work train and steam shovel leaves Deerwood this week and it will be certainly missed, as the boarding houses were gainers as long as it remained here.
The annual school meeting was held Saturday evening, July 20, 1907, at the school house, and O. C. Coffin was again elected clerk for the next three years. Very few were out to the meeting.

Mons Mahlum and family, John Carlson and family and Mr. Anderson and family, all from Brainerd, came down and spent Sunday coming down on the early morning train and returning at midnight.
Mrs. Esmond and Mrs. Avery, from Minneapolis, also Mrs. Denny, from Omaha, are domiciled at the Adams.
The Norwegian Ladies' Aid met with Mrs. Christianson last Thursday. A large number of the ladies were in attendance in spite of the threatening weather.
The dance at the Cuyuna hall on Saturday evening must have been well attended from the noise that was in evidence.
Wm. Pattee, from Duluth, visited with Gust Johnson and family over Sunday. He was much elated over the fact that he had a four pound bass to take back to Duluth with him.

The strawberry season is practically over, and a large crop of raspberries is expected. The grapes, too, will be a good crop.
A large number of Brainerd people are camping over on Minister's Point. From the noise we judge they are having a good time and enjoying themselves.

C. J. Rathvon is painting and doing a general cleaning up around the hotel.
Mr. and Mrs. Olson, from Chicago, are visiting at the home of John Crone.
Walter Archibald and family visited at Bay Lake this last week.

ROUTE NO. 2
Gilbert Johnson, of Nokay lake, went to Duluth last Tuesday.
Ole Swelland is through ditching on the new road.
A basket social will take place at the new Long lake church next Saturday July 27th.
The young people of the Norwegian Lutheran church have organized a singing choir.
Tom Swelland left for North Dakota last Wednesday where he expects to stay for a while.
There will be a festival at the Long lake church Sunday August 4. Everybody welcome. An enjoyable time is expected.

A SUBSCRIBER.
Subscribe for THE DAILY DISPATCH. Also try its new job department—all type new and up to date.

Every Dollar's Worth
of Merchandise in Our
Store is For Sale Immediately

Our Closing Out Sale Prices are the talk of the city and vicinity. Such savings are not to be found anywhere; we have been repeatedly told this during our Genuine Closing Out Sale. We have added more gingham, challies, percales, voiles, calicoes and organdies on our big bargain tables. Come see for yourself and get convinced—you will find every quotation just as it is advertised.

69c White Lawn Waists, Sale price.....	25	\$1.50 Good Corsets, Sale price.....	49
\$1.45 Peter Pan Waists, Sale price.....	98	\$6.50 Jap Silk Waists, Sale price.....	\$4.95
\$1.95 Embroidered Waists, Sale price.....	\$1.45	\$2.95 Jap Silk Waists, Sale price.....	\$2.25
\$1.25 Colored Wrappers, Sale price.....	98	\$1.25 Leather Bags, Sale price.....	98
\$7.50 White Embroidered dresses, Sale price.....	\$3.95	75c and 65c Belts, Sale price.....	25
\$8.50 Blue Linen Dresses, Sale price.....	\$3.95	\$1.00 and \$1.25 Silks, Sale price.....	49
95c Embroidery Bandings, Sale price.....	49	\$1.50 and \$1.00 Allover Laces, Sale price.....	49
75c Outing Sacques, Sale price.....	49	\$1.45 Outing Flannel Gowns, Sale price.....	98
95c Dressing Sacques, Sale price.....	49	75c Outing Flannel Skirts, Sale price.....	49

All Fixtures, Safes and Desks for Sale

A. E. MOBERG
218 South Seventh Street
Brainerd, Minnesota

NORTH LONG LAKE

Rev. Stark, of St. Cloud, gave a very interesting talk in the school house, on temperance last Sunday afternoon.
Jeanie Gibb returned from Minneapolis last Saturday.
Earnest Richards returned from Sheboygan, Wis., last Thursday.
Rev. H. W. Knowles, of Duluth, was visiting at R. B. Thompson's the first of the week.
Mrs. Robertson and children and Mrs. Wager and Iva Wager were calling on Mrs. Joe Ackerson Tuesday afternoon.
P. S. Taylor is busy putting up hay on Charley Jothen's meadow.
The Thompson boys are putting up S. Allston's hay for him this week.
The Paulson boys are putting up hay for Mr. Lee, of Oak Lawn.
Pete Albertsen was elected school clerk of district No. 3 last Saturday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bixby, of Oak Lawn, were visiting at Hughey's Sunday.
Walter Caughey, who has just returned from Potlach, Idaho, was calling on his sister, Mrs. R. B. Thompson last Monday.
John Gibb made a trip to Brainerd Monday to get a wheel for his mowing machine.
Will the compositor that cut six feet off of the height of Mr. Richard's hay shed please put it back so that he can drive in with his loads of hay.

Thos. Paulson returned last Tuesday from a four weeks visit in Douglas Co. Walter and Ervie Lang entertained quite a number of the boys last Saturday evening.
C. J. Albertsen brought his daughter, Ella, home from St. Joseph's hospital Friday.

The Charming Woman
is not necessarily one of perfect form and features. Many a plain one who could never serve as an artist model, possesses those rare qualities that all the world admires; neatness, clear eyes, clean smooth skin and that sprightliness of step and action that accompany good health. A physically weak woman is never attractive, not even to herself. Electric Bitters restore weak women, give strong nerves, bright eyes, smooth velvety skin, beautiful complexion. Guaranteed at H. P. Dunn & Co. Druggist 50c. ttdsw

Horses! Horses!! Horses!!!
Twenty head of Western Horses and mares. Some broken and some unbroken. Weight 1,000 to 1,500 pounds. Enquire of A. Mark. 32tf

CLEARANCE SALE!

The Final Clearance Sale of all Summer Goods

Prices are reduced to such a point that if you have money to spend you cannot afford to let this opportunity go by to lay in a good supply of good reliable merchandise. Profit is no longer any object to us. Come often, while this sale is on, and bring a full pocket book along. You will want to spent all you can spare, the bargains are so great during this wonderful sale.

Bargains Galore in Every Department

One of the biggest features of this sale you will find in **Our Millinery Department**. Our entire line of Trimmed Hats go for just ½ their former prices.

A \$5.00 Hat for \$2.50, Etc.

B. KAATZ & SON
203-205 N. E. Kindred St. Brainerd

I am Going to Quit Business

Having decided to close out my entire confectionery business, I will sell every article in the store at exact cost to me.

Now is Your Oppurtunity to Buy at Exact Cost

Mrs. H. C. Walker
Phone 124-j2 207 East Kingwood Street

Try THE DISPATCH For

JOB WORK OF ALL KINDS

We are better fitted than ever to furnish you

ONCE MORE BRAINERD DOES IT. EVENT OF THE SEASON

RED MEN'S CARNIVAL

Aug. 5 to 10

C. W. PARKER SHOWS AND ATTRACTIONS

12 All New Paid Shows 12

6 Sensational Free Acts 6

2 Brass Bands of
Solo Musicians 2

Featuring the

World's Greatest Trained Wild Animal Circus

Lions, Leopards, Pumas, Bears, Ponies and
Dogs. "Nero, the riding lion, "Ruth" the
baby elephant, "Romeo" the talking and
laughing Poney.

One Solid Week of Joy
AUGUST 5th to the 10th
Everybody Come

Superba--its fine
Tyrolian Alps
Johnstown Flood
Hales Tours
of the World
How Old is Ann
Bonnie Show
Old Plantation
Show
Moving Picture
Ferris Wheel
Katzenjammer
Kastle
Carry-us-all

SNAKE STONE OF INDIA.

Curious Hindoo Superstition as to its
Curative Properties.

A Pauper's Contribution.
A poor workman of Cologne, known
by every one not to possess a farthing,
put down his name for 20 marks (\$5)
on a subscription list which was cir-
culated in the city in order to pur-
chase a present for Bismarck's seven-
tieth birthday. The workman was re-
ceiving an allowance from the public
relief fund, and the overseer of the
parish, seeing his name on the sub-
scription list, sent for the man and
said to him: "Now, what do you mean
by this? Aren't you getting parish
pay?"

"Yes, sir."
"Then I should like to know how
you are able to give 20 marks toward
the testimonial to Prince Bismarck."
"I don't intend to give them, sir, if
you please."

"Well, what did you put your name
down for, then?"

"Why, I haven't paid anything, and
when they come for the money I shall
just ask them to let me off with so
many days in jail."

The poor fellow was much disap-
pointed to learn that police court meth-
ods would not work in this case.

The Evolution of the Sideboard.

The dresser began service in the
kitchen as a table, advancing until it
was composed of a top and two shelves
below, supported by four legs. It was
then used not so much as a place for
dressing the meats as a serving table,
on which dishes were placed before
being allotted to the members of the
household. At a later period a portion
of the dresser became inclosed, and
after that an extra shelf, with some-
times a hood, was placed on it. It was
not then an article of kitchen furni-
ture, but stood in the hall or living
room. As a result of the desire to re-
duce the quantity of furniture in the
hall the credence and dresser were
combined in one article, with a closet
and shelf below and several shelves
above, the whole surmounted by a
canopy. Then it was like some of our
sideboards, though it was not known
by that name until the eighteenth cen-
tury, when it assumed the long, low
table form, with drawers and cup-
boards below. The name sideboard
prior to this had, however, been ap-
plied to tables as early as the sixteenth
century.

Long Live the King

is the popular cry throughout European
countries; while in America the cry of
the present day is "Long Live Dr.
King's New Discovery, King of Throat
and Lung Remedies!" of which Mrs.
Julia Kyder Payne, Truro, Mass., says:
"It never fails to give immediate relief
and to quickly cure a cough or cold."
Mrs. Payne's opinion is shared by a ma-
jority of the inhabitants of this country.
New Discovery cures weak lungs and
sore throats after all other remedies
have failed; and for coughs and colds
it is the proven remedy. Guaranteed by
H. P. Dunn & Co., Druggists. 50c and
\$1.00. Trial bottle free.

In conversation with an old inhabit-
ant of India, whose researches on
lines of science are recognized by the
Indian scholars, he showed me a stone
he took from the mouth of a snake he
had killed, which he called an anti
venom jewel, but which is more gen-
erally known as a "snake stone." Cer-
tain species of snakes carry this stone,
which is semi-phosphorescent, in the
mouth for use as an insect or frog
decoy. The snake deposits the stone
on the ground, and conceals itself
near by, and when the light of the
stone attracts enough insects, or the
assembled insects attract a frog or
toad in search of prey, the cunning
reptile glides upon the unwary hopper
and makes a meal of him. The repre-
sentative of Eve's deceiver and the
cause of Adam's downfall then "pock-
ets" the stone and retires for a
snooze. The snake, while laying for
prey, is disturbed by the approach of
a person will take up the stone and
try to make its escape.

It is firmly believed by many people
in India that the snake stone has cura-
tive and antidote qualities and that if
it is applied to a bite in time it will ex-
tract the poison. If it possesses any
virtue in this regard, it is because the
stone is porous and absorbs the poison
if it so happens that the poison lies in
fatty tissue and has not yet been taken
into the circulation. Sucking would
accomplish the same purpose. But if
the poison was injected by the snake
into a vein or artery neither would do
much good, if any. That the snake
stone has relieved snake bite can hard-
ly be doubted in the face of evidence
in possession of reputable persons in
India.

Indian snake charmers always have
snake stones for sale to credulous peo-
ple. They are simply spongy or porous
stones rubbed into a round, flat shape.
The snake charmer is the prince of
fakirs. He blows on a lute—a rude in-
strument made of the bamboo reed—and
the cobra raises his head eight to
ten inches above the ground or out of
an open basket in which the reptile is
carried about, expands his hood and
waves his head and neck back and
forth as if trying to keep time with
the weird music. I am satisfied, how-
ever, after close observation of this
performance many times, that the
snake is not charmed by the music, but
that it has been trained to do its stunt
by use of a cane, and that it expects
to be tapped with the cane if it does
not raise its head, expand its hood and
wave its neck and head. It does this
same thing when maddened in the jungle.
The whole movement is its signal
of defiance; that it is angry and will
strike in self defense. The "charmer"
almost invariably raises a stick with
one hand when he blows on the reed,
and the snake places itself in readiness
to resist attack.

One of the days we remember with
pleasure, as well as with profit to our
health, is the one on which we became
acquainted with Dr. King's New Life
Pills, the painless purifiers that cure
headache and biliousness, and keep the
bowels right. 25c at H. P. Dunn Co.'s
drug store.

A Memorable Day

One of the days we remember with
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Pills, the painless purifiers that cure
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drug store.

Heat Fatal to One Man.

Kansas City, July 25.—A Croatian
who arrived here last Saturday from
Austria died in Kansas City, Kan.,
Wednesday from the effects of heat
prostration. The heat prostrated five
other persons in the two Kansas
Cities and killed twenty-five horses.
The maximum temperature was 98 de-
grees, the warmest in six years.

Several Hurt in Collision.

Elyria, O., July 26.—In a head-on
collision between two traction cars on
the Cleveland and Southwestern line
three persons were seriously and prob-
ably fatally injured and a score of others
received injuries of a minor nature.
The most seriously injured are Mrs.
Joe Crane, Mrs. K. J. Washburn and
F. J. Gibson, all of Oberlin.

Ransford Hair Tonic
Will relieve that itching scalp—ask
Dunn, The Druggist.

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BITTER DENUNCIATION

Attorney Darrow Scores the
Enemies of Unionism.

MAKES APPEAL FOR LABOR

Haywood's Attorney Startles His Au-
dience by His Sensational State-
ments—Devotes Three Hours to
Playing of Orchard.

Boise, Ida., July 25.—The career of
Frank Steunenberg, the murdered
governor of Idaho, was discussed at
some length by Clarence Darrow in
his plea in behalf of William D. Hay-
wood. Justifying the articles pub-
lished in the Miners' Magazine, the of-
ficial organ of the Western Federa-
tion, Mr. Darrow said the action of
Steunenberg in asking for United
States troops to quell riot and the es-
tablishment of martial law in 1899
was unjustifiable and had properly
stirred up intense feeling in labor cir-
cles against the governor.

Mr. Darrow's argument, which was
unfinished, developed into an appeal
for labor as against capital and a de-
nunciation of all opposition to the
unions. He held an audience startled
and open-mouthed as one after another
of the sentiments poured from his
lips. His attack on Orchard was ex-
pected and in this respect he ful-
filled and surpassed the limit of sen-
sation.

Three hours were given to Orchard
and it was only when vituperation,
physical force and words were spent
that Darrow turned to James H. Haw-
ley, the leading counsel for the state,
and the Pinkerton detectives for
something on which to pour the lesser
volume of abuse.

State of Idaho Denounced.

The state of Idaho came in for a
large share of Mr. Darrow's denuncia-
tion for the part it has played in the
prosecution. Culture, education and
wealth each in turn were described
as constituting a combination against
the workman; the uneducated and
the poor must ever be protected.

Mr. Darrow sneered at the uni-
versities.

"And what is a cultured man," he
cried, "but a cruel tyrant always?"

Reaching the climax of denunciation,
of sympathy for the working class and
hatred for the rich, he assailed the
Constitution of the country and cried:
"The Constitution, the Constitution."

It is here only to destroy the laws
made for the benefit of the poor."

Mr. Darrow's support of labor
unions and of union men was pas-
ionate and his eulogy of the Western
Federation eloquent. Lovingly he
touched on the beauty of self-sacrifice
found in the "struggle for humanity
where only the working man is found,"
and in the bitterest sarcasm
his voice pitched in its highest note
and his arms upheld, he heaped abuse
upon selfish rich and upon the admin-
istration of the state of Idaho.

WIDESPREAD CONSPIRACY.

Revealed by Letters Obtained in Con-
nection With a Murder.

New York, July 25.—The district at-
torney's office has obtained a number
of letters in connection with the mur-
der of the rug merchant, H. S. Tac-
shanjian, which showed that for sev-
eral months there have been com-
munications sent to rich Armenian
merchants in this city demanding
that money be sent to the Hunchakists
society on pain of death. The letters
confirm the reports of a widespread
conspiracy to get money and which
the district attorney thinks is alarm-
ing. One of the Armenians who has
been greatly frightened by the letter
of the Hunchakists is Armen P. Aleon,
a rug importer. He received a letter
last March demanding that \$10,000 be
paid to the Hunchakists at once if he
wished to escape the fate of his
father.

Police Commissioner Bingham stated
that for a long time he had known of
Armenians who were blackmailing
rich merchants.

The coroner's jury returned a ver-
dict holding Bedros Hampartoomian,
who killed Tacshanjian, on a charge of
homicide. The grand jury after hear-
ing three witnesses who testified be-
fore the coroner indicted Hampar-
toomian for murder in the first de-
gree.

BOY STONED TO DEATH.

Literally Mashed to Pieces by His
Playmates.

Harlan, Ky., July 25.—Stoned to
death was the horrible fate that befell
Joseph Turner, aged eleven years, son
of Justice Samuel Turner of Williams
Creek.

The lad with a number of his com-
panions was swimming in Cumberland
river and they began throwing sand
at one another. They became angry
and changed from sand to stones. A
crowd of boys led by Thomas Simp-
son, aged thirteen, picked out young
Turner and began stoning him until
he was mashed almost literally to
pieces. He was carried home barely
breathing and died soon afterward.
Most intense excitement followed. Ar-
rests and lynchings are likely to fol-
low.

Earthquake in Italy.

Cosenza, Italy, July 25.—An earth-
quake shock occurred here and in
several provincial towns, where the
people became panic-stricken. No
damage, however, has been reported.

GLIDDEN CUP TOUR ENDED

Nineteen Cars Complete the Run With
Perfect Scores.

New York, July 25.—The fourth an-
nual Glidden cup tour of the American
Automobile association, aggregating
1,700 miles from Cleveland, O., to the
Atlantic coast cities by way of Chi-
cago and covered in twelve days, was
completed with the run from Phila-
delphia to Jersey City—ninety-six
miles—which was covered in five and
one-half hours. The entire party ar-
rived at Jersey City at 12:30 Wednes-
day and crossed over to Manhattan at
Twenty-third street. The members
lined up on Twenty-fourth street near
the ferry until all were over and then
started to Broadway and Fifty-ninth
street, where in Columbus Circle the
tour was officially declared ended.

Although several women started
bravely from Cleveland, the only one
to finish with the party is Mrs. An-
drew Cuneo. She endured the hard-
ships of mountain travel and never
flinched when confronted with the dif-
ficulties of the road which drove other
women to give up the trip.

Dressed principally in khaki suits
and seated in the begrimed ma-
chines, the tourists made a pictur-
esque sight as they went up Broad-
way. Piled on the cars were bags and
bundles, traveling kits and souvenirs
of the trip, making an almost para-
doxical combination of fixtures of the
emigrant wagon of the West and a
gasoline motor.

Nineteen cars completed the run
with perfect scores.

MRS. BAXTON TESTIFIES.

Declares Her Husband Gave Her the
Bribery Money.

San Francisco, July 25.—Contrary to
expectations, the prosecution did not
finish its case against Louis Glass,
charged with bribery of supervisors.

The most interesting witness was
Mrs. Annie Baxton, wife of Super-
visor Charles Baxton. Mrs. Baxton
testified that the \$5,000 which her
husband had confessed was accepted
as a bribe from T. V. Halsey, by him
was brought home, counted and given
to her. One of the first witnesses to
be called by the defense, according to
a casual courtroom remark by At-
torney Delmas for the defense, will be
Rudolph Spreckels, financial guarantor
of and one of the most active mem-
bers of the bribery graft prosecution.

Will Meet in Milwaukee.

Springfield, Mass., July 25.—The
triennial convention of the Ladies'
Catholic Benevolent association closed
its sessions after the installation of
officers and the passage of appropriate
resolutions. Milwaukee was chosen
as the place for the next triennial
convention.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The annual convention of the Wis-
consin Bankers' association is being
held in Milwaukee.

Stephen Kubesch was drowned
while bathing in the Mississippi river
near the Omaha bridge in St. Paul.

Gustavus H. Thiel, president and
founder of the Thiel detective service
company, died at Chicago Wednesday
of apoplexy.

At Ogden, Utah, Peter Sullivan, the
Fall River lightweight, got the de-
cision over Cyclone Thompson of
Sycamore, Ill., in twenty rounds.

BASEBALL SCORES.

American League.
At Boston, 4; Detroit, 3.
At New York, 7; Cleveland, 6.
At Philadelphia, 3; Chicago, 1.
At Washington, 6; St. Louis, 5.
American Association.
At Kansas City, 6; Toledo, 3.
At Milwaukee, 1; Louisville, 2.
At Minneapolis, 0; Indianapolis, 4.

MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Minneapolis Wheat.
Minneapolis, July 24.—Wheat—
Sept., 96½c; Dec., 97½c. On track—
No. 1 hard, 99½c; No. 1 North-
ern, 98½c; No. 2 Northern, 95½c
@96c; No. 3 Northern, 92½c @94c.

Duluth Wheat and Flax.
Duluth, July 24.—Wheat—To arrive
and on track—No. 1 hard, \$1.00c;
No. 1 Northern, 99½c; No. 2 North-
ern, 98½c; July, 99½c; Sept., 99½c;
Dec., 99½c. Flax—To arrive and on
track, \$1.18c; July, \$1.18c; Sept.,
\$1.18c; Oct., \$1.16c; Nov., \$1.16c;
Dec., \$1.14.

St. Paul Union Stock Yards.
St. Paul, July 24.—Cattle—Good to
choice steers, \$5.50 @6.50; fair to good,
\$4.00 @5.00; good to choice cows and
heifers, \$3.50 @5.00; veals, \$4.50 @6.00.
Hogs—\$5.65 @6.05. Sheep—Wethers,
\$5.25 @5.75; good to choice lambs,
\$5.50 @6.50; spring, \$6.50 @7.00.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.
Chicago, July 24.—Wheat—July,
90½c; Sept., 92½c. Corn—July, 53½c;
Sept., 53½c @53½c. Oats—July, 43½c;
Sept., 38½c. Pork—July, \$16.40;
Sept., \$16.60. Butter—Creameries, 21
@23½c; dairies, 18½ @22½c. Eggs—
13½ @15c. Poultry—Turkeys, 12c;
chickens, 11c; springs, 15c.

Chicago Union Stock Yards.
Chicago, July 24.—Cattle—Beaves,
\$4.65 @7.35; cows, \$1.50 @5.25; heifers,
\$2.40 @5.40; calves, \$5.50 @7.25; good
to prime steers, \$5.75 @7.35; poor to
medium, \$4.65 @5.50; stockers and
feeders, \$2.90 @5.00. Hogs—Light, \$6.75
@6.40; mixed, \$5.90 @6.35; heavy,
\$5.80 @6.25. Pigs—\$5.50 @5.85; pigs,
\$5.70 @6.35. Sheep—Good to choice,
\$6.15 @6.25. Spring, \$6.80 @7.00; lambs,
\$5.85 @7.00.

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FOR RENT—Store rooms in the Pearce block. 42tf

FOR SALE—Second hand rock, brick and lumber. Box 594 City. 32tf

LOST—A bunch of keys. Finder please leave at the postoffice. 432f

WANTED—A lady to do hand washing at New Steam Laundry. 433p

FOR SALE—1,000 cedar posts, 7c each at Brainerd. John L. Smith. 446f

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for rent for light house keeping in the Pearce block. 42tf

FOR SALE—Iron beds with springs, dressers, etc., cheap 223 7th street North. 443p

WANTED—Good girl for general house work. Good wages. Mrs. J. A. Thabes. 43tf

FOR RENT—Store at 718 Front street. \$35 per month on one year's lease. Inquire on premises. 308tf

TAKEN UP—Stray dog, brown water spaniel. Call on or address Keene & McFadden, Brainerd, Minn.

WANTED—Middle aged woman wants position as housekeeper or housework in private family. Apply at Palace Hotel. 432p

FOR RENT—A good five room cottage within 2 blocks of business part of city, vacant after August 23. Apply 502 Norwood St. tf

FOR SALE—Houses and lots for sale in South and North East Brainerd. Small cash payments, balance monthly. H. Gilson, Miracle block.

LOST—On road to Dykeman P. O. my watch fob. A suitable reward will be paid if brought to office of J. R. Smith, Brainerd. John L. Smith. 446f

LOST—A ladies hand satchel containing two pocket books both containing money. Finder please return to Mrs. John Gaffney, 510 So. 5th street for reward.

FOR SALE CHEAP—Twenty-two head of young western horses and mares, broken and unbroken. Weight 1000 to 1600 pounds. Inquire of A. Marks. 30tf

FOR SALE—One Registered Holstein Bull 4 years old price \$50.00 or will exchange for young cattle. Can be seen at my farm near Dykeman, P. O. John L. Smith, 538 Security Bank Bldg., Minneapolis. 44tf

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